## October 2005

# Outcome Measures and RESULTS

## CHILD WELFARE





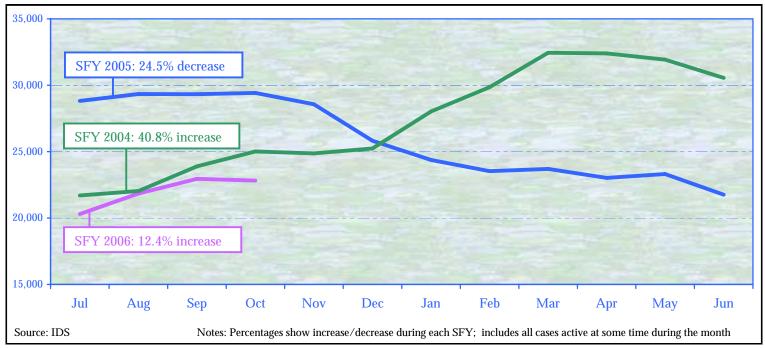




## Definitions and Data Sources

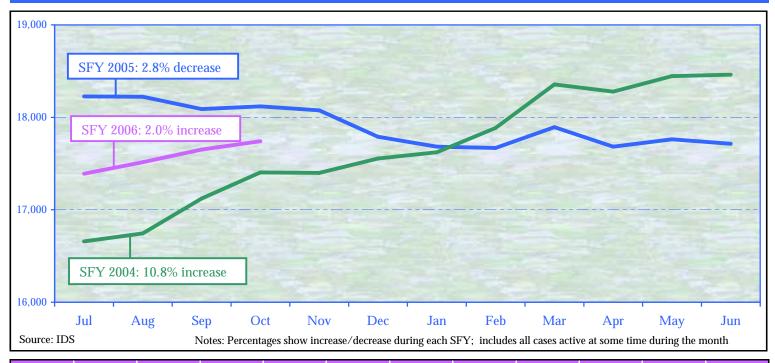
Includes all cases active at some time during the month Source: Internal Data System
Child Placement Services Cases
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Child Welfare Casemanager Separations 5  The number of Child Welfare casemanagers who left their positions for any reason, including transfer to other divisions within DHR, transfer to another state agency/office, resignations, or retirement. It does not include county-to-county transfers.  Source: PeopleSoft

### Child Protective Services Cases



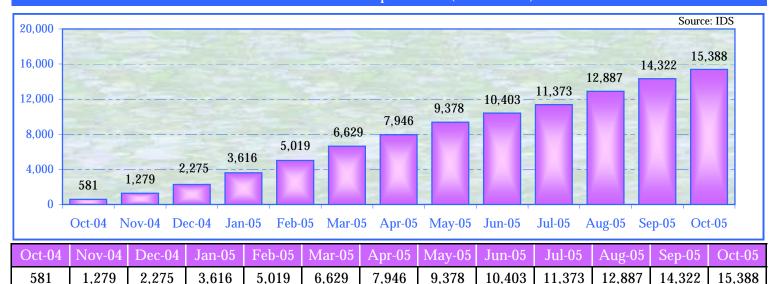
Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
20,304	21,844	22,947	22,819								
28,815	29,337	29,323	29,416	28,561	25,817	24,374	23,530	23,702	23,030	23,314	21,765
21,704	22,034	23,892	25,007	24,872	25,238	28,022	29,852	32,449	32,403	31,926	30,550

### Child Placement Services Cases



Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
17,390	17,514	17,652	17,741								
18,227	18,223	18,089	18,119	18,075	17,790	17,683	17,668	17,893	17,683	17,762	17,714
16,658	16,745	17,121	17,404	17,398	17,555	17,622	17,885	18,356	18,278	18,446	18,462

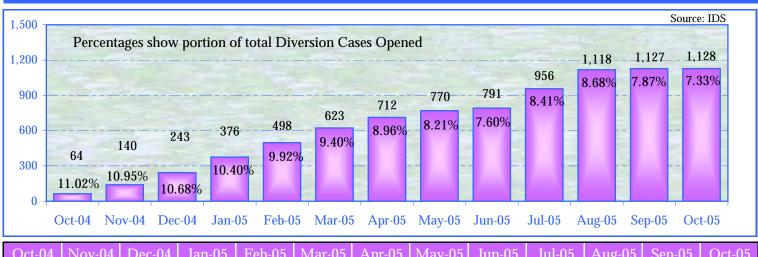
#### Diversion Cases Opened (cumulative)



Def: The cumulative number of reports received by CPS that were diverted and those that later were opened as CPS cases more than 10 days after closing of diversion.

Note: Totals for the past two months are updated

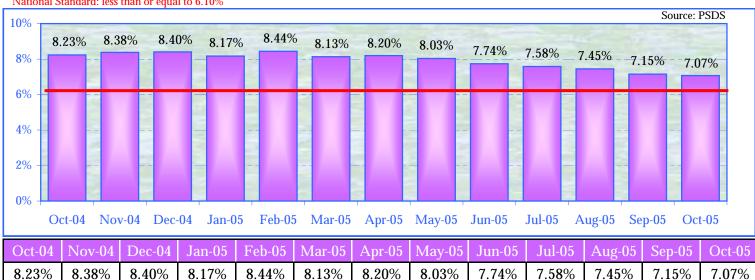
#### Diversions That Became CPS Cases (cumulative)



Oct-04	Nov-04	Dec-04	Jan-05	Feb-05	Mar-05	Apr-05	May-05	Jun-05	Jul-05	Aug-05	Sep-05	Oct-05
64	140	243	376	498	623	712	770	791	956	1,118	1,127	1,128

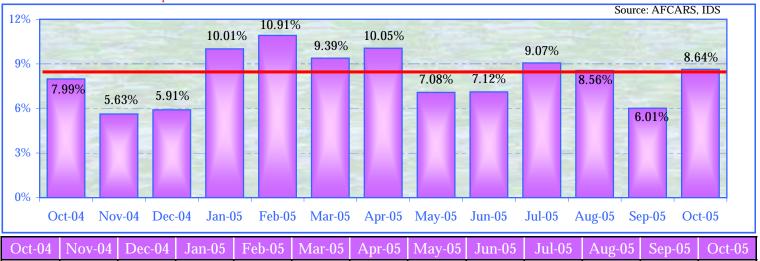
#### Recurrence Of Substantiated Child Maltreatment

Def: Of all the children who were victims of substantiated maltreatment, the percentage that had a substan. report of maltreatment during the previous 6 months. National Standard: less than or equal to 6.10%



#### Foster Care Re-entries

Def: Of all the children who entered foster care, the percentage that were discharged from a previous placement within 12 months of the current placement. National Standard: less than or equal to 8.60%



#### Child Abuse In DFCS Foster Homes

10.05%

7.08%

7.12%

9.07%

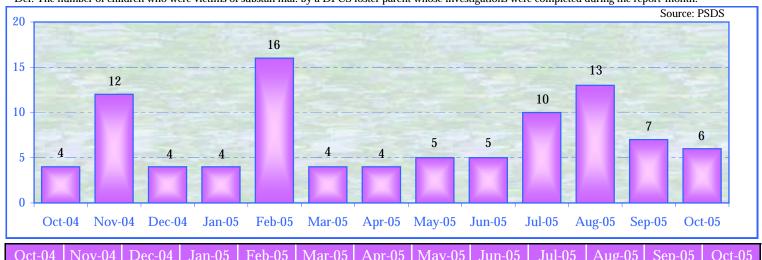
8.56%

6.01%

8.64%

Def: The number of children who were victims of substan mal. by a DFCS foster parent whose investigations were completed during the report month.

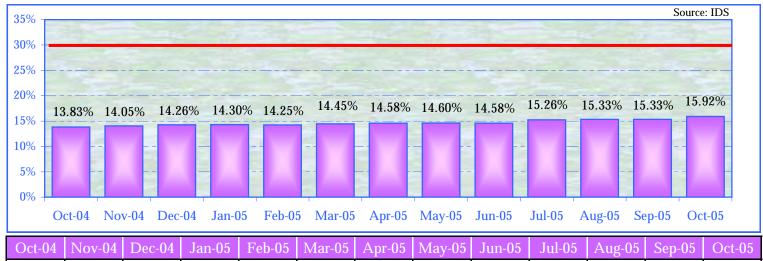
9.39%



#### Jul-05 Oct-04 Nov-04 Dec-04 Jan-05 Feb-05 Mar-05 Apr-05 May-05 Jun-05 Aug-05 Sep-05 Oct-05 4 12 4 4 16 4 5 5 10 13 7 6

#### Children Placed With Relatives

Def: Of all the children in foster care, the percentage that are placed with a relative or in a relative foster home. State Target: greater than or equal to 30.00%



14.30%

14.25%

14.45%

13.83%

14.05%

7.99%

5.63%

5.91%

10.01%

10.91%

14.60%

14.58%

15.26%

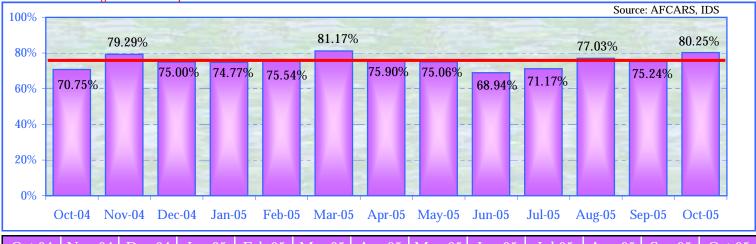
15.33%

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15.92%

#### Length of Time To Achieve Reunification

Def: Of all the children who exited foster care by reunif. w/ their family, the % that were reunified in less than 12 mos. from their last removal from the home. National Standard: greater than or equal to 76.20%

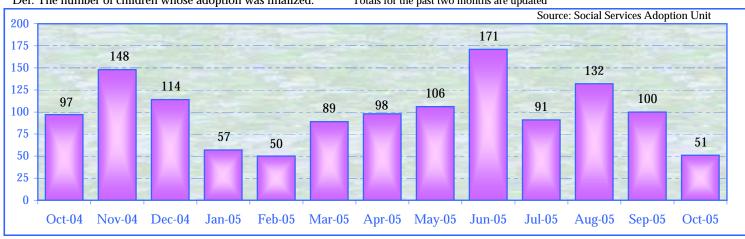


Oct-04	Nov-04	Dec-04	Jan-05	Feb-05	Mar-05	Apr-05	May-05	Jun-05	Jul-05	Aug-05	Sep-05	Oct-05
70.75%	79.29%	75.00%	74.77%	75.54%	81.17%	75.90%	75.06%	68.94%	71.17%	77.03%	75.24%	80.25%

#### Adoptions Finalized

Def: The number of children whose adoption was finalized.

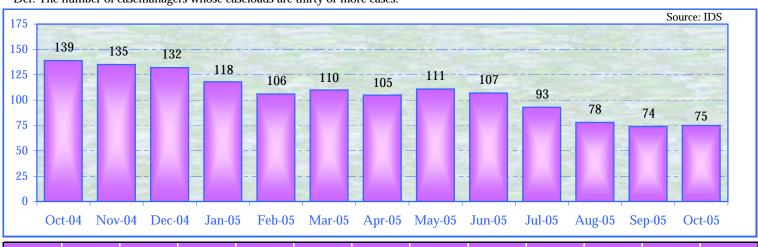
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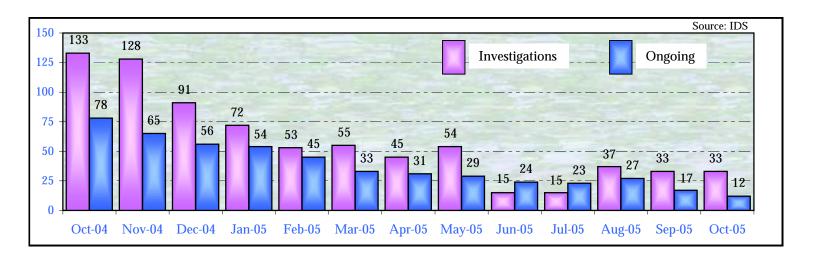
Oct-04	Nov-04	Dec-04	Jan-05	Feb-05	Mar-05	Apr-05	May-05	Jun-05	Jul-05	Aug-05	Sep-05	Oct-05
97	148	114	57	50	89	98	106	171	91	132	100	51

#### Casemanagers With Thirty Or More Cases - Placement

Def: The number of casemanagers whose caseloads are thirty or more cases.



Oct-04	Nov-04	Dec-04	Jan-05	Feb-05	Mar-05	Apr-05	May-05	Jun-05	Jul-05	Aug-05	Sep-05	Oct-05
139	135	132	118	106	110	105	111	107	93	78	74	75



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